FISCAL NOTE

SB 1968 - HB 1827

February 23, 2007

SUMMARY OF BILL: Removes the provisions of law that authorized the issuance of certificates of driving. Authorizes the issuance of new temporary driver licenses for persons whose presence in the U.S. has been authorized by the federal government.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures – \$99,800 One-Time/Included in the Governor's FY07-08 Budget

Assumptions:

- There will be no decrease in state revenues as a result of eliminating the certificates for driving. Certificates for driving are currently issued only to aliens who demonstrate a lawful presence in the State of Tennessee. Persons currently receiving a certificate for driving will receive the new temporary driver license instead. The fee will be the same.
- According to the Department of Safety there will be a one-time increase in state expenditures for computer programming (\$24,800), design and development of a new temporary driver license (\$50,000), training for driver license station staff, law enforcement officers, judges and the immigrant community (\$10,000), and the cost to design and print new brochures (\$15,000).
- These amounts are included in the Governor's FY07-08 Budget.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director